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Blue Angels 2012 show schedule

PENSACOLA, Fla. – The Navy Flight Demonstration Squadron, the Blue Angels, release the 2012 show schedule. The Blue Angels are scheduled to perform 69 demonstrations at 35 locations in 2012.

The 2012 season commemorates the bicentennial of the War of 1812 and celebrates 100 years of Marine Aviation.

The 2012 show schedule is:

MARCH	10	NAF El Centro, CA
	17-18	St. George, UT
	24-25	Punta Gorda, FL
	31	Tuscaloosa, AL
APRIL	1	Tuscaloosa, AL
	14-15	NAS Kingsville, TX
	21-22	New Orleans, LA
	28-29	Warner Robins AFB, GA
MAY	5-6	MCAS Cherry Point, NC

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12-13	Smyrna, TN
19-20	Andrews AFB, MD
23	Hudson River, NY (Flyover)
26-27	Jones Beach, NY
29	US Naval Academy, MD (Flyover)

JUNE	02-03	Virginia Beach, VA
	09-10	Mankato, MN
	16-17	Baltimore, MD
	23-24	Latrobe, PA
	30	Portsmouth, NH

JULY	04	Boston Harbor, MA (Flyover)
	7-8	Dayton, OH
	14	Pensacola Beach, FL
	21-22	Sioux Falls, SD
	28-29	Twin Falls, ID

AUGUST	04-05	Seattle, WA
	18-19	Chicago, IL
	25-26	Prince Edward Island, PE

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SEPTEMBER	1-3	Cleveland, OH
	8-9	Little Rock AFB, AR
	15-16	Oceana, VA
	22-23	Grand Junction, CO
	29-30	MCAS Kane'ohe Bay, HI
OCTOBER	6-7	San Francisco, CA
	12-14	Miramar, CA
	20-21	Jacksonville, FL
	27-28	Houston, TX
NOVEMBER	2-3	NAS Pensacola, FL

Demonstration sites are selected in support of the Department of Defense objectives and in the interest of the armed services with safety as the primary consideration. Performances greatly assist in the recruiting and retention goals for the military services, enhance esprit de corps among uniformed men and women and demonstrate the professional skills and capabilities of the Naval services to the American public and U.S. allies.

For information about individual air shows, please go to each air show's official website.

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For more information about the Blue Angels, including the 2012 and 2013 Blue Angel Air Show schedule, log on to www.blueangels.navy.mil. For details on the War of 1812 commemoration: www.ourflagwasstillthere.org. For details on the Marine Aviation Centennial: www.marines.mil/unit/aviation/centennial/pages/default.aspx.

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